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Application Number 09/855,890
Filing Date May 15, 2001
Confirmation No. 1494
Inventor(s) Jeffrey S. Brooks
Group Art Unit TBD
Examiner Name TBD
Attorney Docket Number BSS 6422

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- Applicant claims small entity status.
2. Check Enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE Subtotal (1) \$ _____
(Type: _____)
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Subtotal (2) \$ _____

Total Claims _____
Independent Claims _____
Multiple Dependent Claims _____

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES Subtotal (3) \$1,280.00

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- Submission of Information Disclosure Statement
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- Request for Continued Examination
- Other: Petition to Revive Abandoned Application

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$1,280.00

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1. BASIC FILING FEE Subtotal (1) \$740.00
(Type: Utility)
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Subtotal (2) \$ _____

Total Claims 19
Independent Claims 3
Multiple Dependent Claims 0

3. ADDITIONAL FEES Subtotal (3) \$130.00
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Jeffrey S. Brooks
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For FOOTWEAR

Art Unit 3728

September 12, 2002

**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED**

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,

SIR:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted," dated July 16, 2001, enclosed is a check in Payment of the filing fee and the surcharge in the above-referenced application. A copy of the Notice is returned herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/855,890	05/15/2001	Jeffrey S. Brooks	BSS 6422

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CONFIRMATION NO. 1494

FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 07/16/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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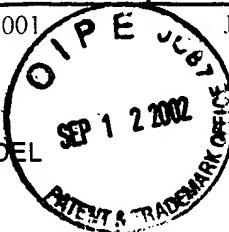


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CONFIRMATION NO. 1494
 ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION
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Date Mailed: 08/26/2002

NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 07/16/2001.

- No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNAVOIDABLE DELAY** must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(l); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNINTENTIONAL DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.

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